GOVERNMENT OF AHDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

PUBLIC SERVICES– Water Resources Department – Vigilance and Enforcement-Disciplinary Proceedings initiated against Sri G.Yogananda Reddy, Assistant Engineer(Retd) for the allegations of irregularities in Construction of a Dam across Penna River and Earthwork excavation of GNSS Main Canal including construction of CM&CD Works from 0.000 to KM 24.330 and construction of Head Regulator (Balance work), Formation of approach channel to Head Regulator and formation of approach roads to Gandikota Dam site near Mangapatnam(V) in Kadapa District under GNSS Package-I–Finalization of disciplinary proceedings by imposing a penalty (1%) cut in pension for period of one(1) year against him under rule 9 of APRP Rules 1980 – Orders – Issued.

WATER RESOURCES (Vig.II-V&E.1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.520 Dated:19.11.2019

Read the following:-

1. From the General Administration (Vig.Enft.)Dept., Appraisal Report No.117 (CNo.1073/V&E/E1/2005-2), dt.11.12.2012
2. G.O.Rt.No.650,I&CAD(V&E-A1)Dept.,dt:15.10.2014.
3. From Sri G.Yogananda Reddy, Assistant Engineer (Retd) written statement of defence, dated 27.11.2014
4. G.O.Rt.No.457,I&CAD(Vig.II(V&E-1))Dept., dt: 09.07.2015.
5. Govt.Memo.No.30306/Vig.II-V&E,A1/2012-7,dt: 09.07.2015.
6. From Dr.Premchand, I.A.S.(Retd), Member, COI, GAD, D.O. Lr.No.145/COI.P/2015, dated: 27.10.2016.
7. Govt.Memo.No.30306/Vig.II(V&E-1)/2012-10,dt:14.11.2017.
8. From Sri G.Yogananda Reddy, Assistant Engineer (Retd), Explanation, dated: 04.01.2018
9. Govt.Memo.No.30306/Vig.II(V&E-1)/2012-11, dated: 26.05.2018
10. From the CE(P), Kadapa, Leter No.CE(P), Kadapa DWRO /WRD/KDP/TS3/V&E/2013, dated:24.12.2018
11. Govt.Memo.No.30306/Vig.II(V&E-1)/2012-12, dated: 20.08.2019
12. From Sri G.Yogananda Reddy, Assistant Engineer (Retd), Explanation, dated: Nil.
13. Govt.Letter.No.30306/Vig.II-V&E-2/2012-13, dated: 23.09.2019
14. From the Secretary, APPSC, C.No.503/DC&C/2019, dated: 01.10.2019

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In the reference 1st read above, the General Administration (Vigilance & Enforcement) Department have furnished their Appraisal Report on the allegations of irregularities in Construction of a Dam across Penna River and Earthwork excavation of GNSS Main Canal including construction of CM&CD Works from 0.000 to KM 24.330 and construction of Head Regulator (Balance work), Formation of approach channel to Head Regulator and formation of approach roads to Gandikota Dam site near Mangapatnam(V) in Kadapa District under GNSS Package-I.

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2. In the reference 2nd read above, article of charge was issued against Sri G.Yogananda Reddy, Assistant Engineer(Retd) for the allegations of irregularities in Construction of a Dam across Penna River and Earthwork excavation of GNSS Main Canal including construction of CM&CD Works from 0.000 to KM 24.330 and construction of Head Regulator (Balance work), Formation of approach channel to Head Regulator and formation of approach roads to Gandikota Dam site near Mangapatnam(V) in Kadapa District under GNSS Package-I and in the reference 3rd read above, Sri G.Yogananda Reddy, Assistant Engineer(Retd) has submitted his written statements of defence.

3. In the reference 4th read above, Dr.Prem Chand, IAS (Retd), Member, Commissioner of Inquiries, General Administration Department was appointed as the Inquiring Authority to inquire into the charge framed against Sri G.Yogananda Reddy, Assistant Engineer(Retd) and furnish inquiry report and in the reference 5th read above, the Superintending Engineer, SKD, GNSS Project Circle, Kadapa was appointed as Presenting Officer.

4. In the reference 6th read above, Dr. Prem Chand, IAS (Retd), Member, Commission of Inquiries, General Administration Department and the Inquiring Authority has submitted the inquiry report reporting that the single charge framed against the charged officer is held proved.

5. In the reference 7th read above, while enclosing the Inquiry Report, Sri G.Yogananda Reddy, Assistant Engineer(Retd) has been directed to submit his explanations, if any, on the findings of the Inquiring Authority. In the reference 8th read above Sri G.Yogananda Reddy, Assistant Engineer(Retd) has submitted his written explanations.

6. In the reference 9th cited above, the Chief Engineer (Projects), Water Resources Department, Kadapa, while enclosing Inquiry report and the explanation of the charged officer, has been requested to verify and furnish his remarks on the logical conclusions arrived by the Charged Officer in his explanation, after conducting grouting tests, duly considering the procedures specified in IS Codes. In the reference 10th read above, the Chief Engineer (Projects), Water Resources Department, Kadapa, has furnished his report. After examination of the Inquiry Report and the material made available, it has been provisionally decided to impose of a penalty of (1%) cut in pension for period of one (1) year against Sri G.Yogananda Reddy, Assistant Engineer(Retd) for the allegations of irregularities mentioned above.

7. In the reference 11th read above, a show cause notice under Rule 9 of APRP Rules 1980 has been issued against Sri G.Yogananda Reddy, Assistant Engineer(Retd) with a direction to show cause as to why a penalty of (1%) cut in pension for period of one (1) year shall not be imposed on him within (10) days from the date of receipt of this Memo., failing which it will be construed that he has no explanation to offer and necessary further action will be taken against him as per the material available on record with the Government and he has also submitted his written explanation in the reference 12th read above and he has accepted the proposed penalty against him. (contd..p3)

8. Government, after careful examination of the entire issue have decided to confirm the provisional decision i.e. to impose a penalty of (1%) cut in pension for period of one (1) year under rule 9 of APRP Rules 1980 for allegations of irregularities in Construction of a Dam across Penna River and Earthwork excavation of GNSS Main Canal including construction of CM&CD Works from 0.000 to KM 24.330 and construction of Head Regulator (Balance work), Formation of approach channel to Head Regulator and formation of approach roads to Gandikota Dam site near Mangapatnam(V) in Kadapa District under GNSS Package-I.

9. In the reference 11th read above, the Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, Vijayawada has been requested to place the proposal of the Department i.e. to impose a penalty of (1%) cut in pension for period of one (1) year under rule 9 of APRP Rules 1980 against Sri G.Yogananda Reddy, Assistant Engineer(Retd) before the Commission and communicate their concurrence.

10. In the reference 12th read above, the Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, Vijayawada has informed that the Commission have agreed with the proposal of the department to impose a penalty of (1%) cut in pension for period of one (1) year under rule 9 of APRP Rules 1980 against Sri G.Yogananda Reddy, Assistant Engineer(Retd).

11. Government, after careful examination of the entire issue, hereby impose a penalty of (1%) cut in pension for period of one (1) year against Sri G.Yogananda Reddy, Assistant Engineer(Retd) under Rule 9 of APRP Rules, 1980 for allegations of irregularities in Construction of a Dam across Penna River and Earthwork excavation of GNSS Main Canal including construction of CM&CD Works from 0.000 to KM 24.330 and construction of Head Regulator (Balance work), Formation of approach channel to Head Regulator and formation of approach roads to Gandikota Dam site near Mangapatnam(V) in Kadapa District under GNSS Package-I.

12. The Engineer-in-Chief (Admn.Wing), Water Resources Department, Vijayawada / the Water Resources (Ser.I) Department shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

ADITYANATH DAS
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri G.Yogananda Reddy, Assistant Engineer(Retd) **through** the Engineer-in-Chief (AW), Water Resources Department, A.P.,Vijayawada.

The Engineer-in-Chief (AW),Water Resources Department, Vijayawada.

Copy to:

The Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

The Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, New Government Offices Building 2nd Floor, M.G. Road(Bandhar Road), Opp: Indira Gandhi Municipal Complex, Vijayawada-520 010. Andhra Pradesh.

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The Secretary, AP Vigilance Commission, AP Secretariat, Velagapudi, Amaravati.

The Director General and Ex-Officio Principal Secretary to Government, the General Administration (Vigilance & Enforcement) Department, 2nd Floor, Dr.NTR Administrative Block, P.N.Bus Station, Vijayawada-520002, Krishna District.

The Water Resources (Ser.I) Department.

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SECTION OFFICER